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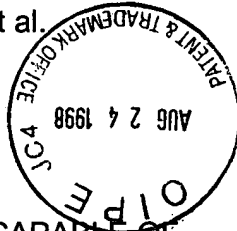
In re Application of:

Luc MONTAGNIER et al.

Serial No. 08/470,489

Filed: June 6, 1995

For: RETROVIRUS CAPABLE OF
CAUSING AIDS, MEANS AND
METHOD FOR DETECTING IT
IN VITRO



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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office
Action of April 29, 1998. A fee of \$110.00 is enclosed.

To the extent any further extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 is required to
obtain entry of this response, such extension is hereby requested. If there are any fees due
under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17 which are not enclosed, including any fees required for an
extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, please charge those fees to our Deposit Account
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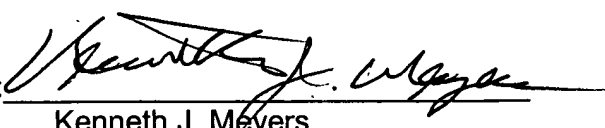
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Respectfully submitted,

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